

REGULAR MEETING OF THE TIPPECANOE COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD OCTOBER 4, 1972.

The Tippecanoe County Drainage Board held it's regular meeting on October 4, 1972, at 9:00 o'clock a.m., with the following members present: Bruce Osborn, Dale Remaly, Edward Shaw, Dan Ruth, Fred Hoffman and Gladys Ridder.

Minutes Approved	Upon motion of Bruce Osborn, seconded by Dale Remaly and made unanimous by Edward Shaw, the minutes of the September 6, 1972 meeting were approved as read.
Other business of the Board	The Engineer reported to the Board his findings in Clarks Hill with reference to the J. B. Anderson ditch. Mr. Ruth said he would see that the legal drain would be repaired in all locations where there is any possibility of an obstruction. He also stated that he felt sure that the Anderson Ditch could not possibly solve the storm water problem in Clarks Hill. It was his opinion that the ditch was never intended as a storm drain for the town. The problems in the J. & J. Subdivision were discussed. It was decided that maintenance money could not be used to repair the driveways that were in need.
9:30 a.m. Charles E. Daugherty Ditch Hearing	The engineer opened the hearing on the Charles E. Daugherty ditch by reading his report and making his recommendations to the Board. There were no remonstrances and only one person attended the hearing. Mr. Eber Eugene Johnson, who attended, was very much in favor of a maintenance fund being established and because he owned 38% of the ditch he felt he had every reason to speak. Upon motion by Bruce Osborn, seconded by Dale Remaly and made unanimous by Edward Shaw, a \$1.00 per acre assessment was established.
10:30 a.m. Hearing on the Clyde W. Richards Ditch	The engineer opened the hearing on the Clyde W. Richards ditch by reading his report to the Board and read a letter from all the landowners in the area asking the Board to vacate the ditch and let them take care of it themselves. With all in agreement, Mr. Osborn so moved to vacate the C. W. Richards ditch. The only person in attendance was Doyle D. Moore who had carried the letter. "BE IT RESOLVED by the Tippecanoe County Drainage Board that the Clyde W. Richards Ditch, located in Lauramie Township, Tippecanoe County, Indiana, be, and the same hereby is vacated."
11:30 a.m. Hearing on the S. K. Richards Ditch	The Engineer opened the hearing on the S.K. Richards ditch by reading his report and making his recommendations to the Board. No one from the drainage area attended and Mr. Ruth read a letter from all the landowners in the watershed area asking the Board to vacate this ditch. Mr. Osborn so moved, Mr. Remaly seconded and Mr. Shaw made it unanimous to grant their request and vacated the ditch. "BE IT RESOLVED by the Tippecanoe County Drainage Board that the S. K. Richards Ditch, located in Lauramie Township, Tippecanoe County, Indiana, be, and the same hereby is vacated."
1:30 p.m. William J. Walters Ditch Hearing	The engineer opened the hearing on the William J. Walters ditch by reading his revised report with the changes in acreage from the original 4996.32 A. to 2112.24 acres. Mr. John Nagle was the only one in the watershed area that appeared. His acreage was subject to change as Mr. Ruth had gone out prior to the hearing and said only 27 Acres of Mr. Nagle's 50 acres that were assessed to the Walters ditch were also assessed on the Stewart ditch in White County and the Engineer said he felt it would be fair to let her acreage be assessed on the Stewart Ditch. Upon motion by Bruce Osborn, seconded by Dale Remaly and made unanimous by Edward Shaw, a \$1.00 per acre assessment was established.
Ditches Referred	The Board referred the following ditches to the Engineer for preparing a schedule of assessments for a maintenance fund: James Vanderkleed, Wabash Twp., Elliott Pearson, Washington Twp., Calvin Peters, Perry Twp., Luther Lucas, Sheffield Twp., Arthur E. Richard, Perry Twp., James L. McClure, Wabash Twp.
Order & Finding and Certificates of Assessment	Upon the establishment of a maintenance fund for the Charles E. Daugherty and the William J. Walters ditches, the Board then signed the Order and Findings and the certificates of assessment. Upon motion made and carried the meeting adjourned.


Bruce Osborn, Chairman


Dale Remaly, Vice Chairman


Edward Shaw, Board Member

ATTEST:


Gladys Ridder, Exec. Secretary